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District Court.

(Continued from last week.)
The grand jury on Friday afternoon returned four indictments as follows:
State vs. Miterio Pena, theft of a horse.
State vs. —, forgery by alteration.
State vs. Edwin Earnest, unlawfully entering in the enclosed lands of another.
State vs. Wallace Warren, swindling under the value of \$50.
On May 4th the following petit jury was empaneled for the second week of the April term:
E. H. Boon, Emil G. Haby, P. S. Mackey, Lee Schuchart, Henry Haeglein, Arnold Wurzbach, Geo. Leininger, J. R. Hester, Wm. Rihn, E. A. Parsons, C. C. Rogers, Frank Jungmann, S. G. Wilson, J. M. Sauter, Geo. Jones, C. H. Harris, J. C. Newton, W. Short, John Zuberbuehler, Joe Williamson, John H. Schweers, T. J. Neal, J. G. Heyen, A. J. Swearingen, Gus Wiemers, Chas. Bendele, F. Grimsinger, Chas. Filleman, J. Grimes and T. J. Sauter.
Paul Keiler, D. A. Ketchum, Wm. H. Albert Briedan, W. A. Love, Frank Burell and Adolph Tondre were excused.
Emma Robinson vs. Frank Robinson, divorce. Plaintiff takes a non-suit.
John Reinhart and wife vs. Samuel Weingheim, et al, trespass to try title. Judgment for plaintiff.
Basie Herron vs. Albert Herron, divorce. Judgment for divorce as prayed for.
Jacob Reinhart vs. Ada Johnson, et al, trespass to try title. Judgment for the plaintiff.
E. R. Bailey vs. W. B. Dennis, et al, suit on notes and to foreclose. Plaintiff takes a non-suit.
Ed de Montel, et al, vs. R. M. Schuch, suit on note and to foreclose. Settled and dismissed.
Joseph Schneider and wife vs. Ed. Nagelin, trespass to try title. Continued by agreement.
Francisco Reyes vs. Gregoria V. de la Cruz, divorce. Continued for service.
The Criminal Docket was called Friday, May 4th.
Cases in which no arrests have been made were continued for service.
Three cases in which no arrest have been made were dismissed by the district attorney.
State vs. Jose Urato, horse theft. Continued by operation of law under suspended sentence act.
State vs. Andres Romero, murder. Continued under the operation of law under the suspended sentence act.
State vs. Francisco Espinoza, murder. Mandate affirming case on file of case ordered to be dropped from docket.
State vs. Abram Garza, selling opium. Continued by operation of law under order suspending sentence.
State vs. Ascension Arias, selling opium. Continued by operation of law under order suspending sentence.
State vs. Jose Castillo, abduction. Continued by operation of law under order suspending sentence.
State vs. Teofilo Rodriguez, assault with intent to murder. Verdict of guilty and given two years in the penitentiary.
State vs. Chas. P. Jackson, theft of property over value of \$50. Verdict guilty and given two years in the penitentiary.
State vs. W. W. Warren, seriously threatening to take human life. Transferred to the county court.
State vs. Calvin Bradford, theft over value of \$50. Transferred to county court.
State vs. Edwin Earnest, unlawfully entering in enclosed land of another. Transferred to county court.
State vs. Wallace Warren, swindling under value of \$50. Transferred to county court.
State vs. Miterio Pena, theft of a horse. This case went to trial May 4th. After being tied up from the completion of the trial to the evening of the seventh the jury was discharged without coming to an agreement.
Paul Reinhart, D. W. Short and J. Sauter were appointed jury commissioners to select a grand and petit jury for the next term of the district court.
The jury for the second week was discharged Thursday.
The court completed its labors for the term and adjourned yesterday morning. The petit jury for the third term is therefore, not needed and the cases have been notified not to appear.

D'Annis School Closes.

Saturday evening the graduating exercises of the D'Annis High School were held. The graduates were: Miss Alice Finger, Oliver Reinhart, Harry Wernette, Alphonse Boog and Jacob Reilly.
The following program was rendered:
Chorus..... Primary Grades
Recitations..... Smaller Pupils
A Very Odd Girl..... Annie Luckenbach
Dialogue..... Miss Hanley's Pupils
Discipline of Character..... Jacob Reilly
Class History and Prophecy.....
..... Alphonse Boog
Our Debt to the Greek and Hebrew.....
..... Oliver Reinhart
Piano Duet..... Misses Reilly and Reinhart
The Battle of Gettysburg.....
..... Harry Wernette
Valedictorian..... Miss Alice Finger
Presentation of Diplomas.
On Monday evening "Polly in Politics", a three-act drama, was played by the Class of 1914.
CHARACTERS:
Col. Jasper Danvers, Leader of the "Old Guard"..... Harry Wernette
Joseph Pendexter, An "Insurgent"..... Alphonse Boog
James Vilas, A "Regular"..... Jacob Reilly
Sammy, A Bell Boy..... Oliver Reinhart
Mrs. Danvers, The Colonel's Wife..... Miss Helen Enderle
Polly Danvers, The Colonel's Daughter..... Miss Alice Finger
Cora Jones, A Telephone Girl.....
..... Miss Gertrude Reilly
Marie, A Parlor Maid.....
..... Miss Florence Deckert
SYNOPSIS
Act 1.—Parlor of the Imperial Hotel at the State Capital. The night of the Governor's Ball. The skirmish.
Act 2.—Telephone room at the Imperial. Ten o'clock next morning. The ambush.
Act 3.—Committee room at the State House. Ten thirty-five o'clock the same morning. The victory.
All who took part in the exercises acquitted themselves creditably. One of the prettiest features of the occasion was the giving of the beautiful bouquets to the graduates. There was a veritable shower of roses. It was a happy occasion to parents, teachers and students.
These were D'Annis' first graduates. The Anvil Herald congratulates D'Annis and hopes that the future may bring to them many such occasions.

Died.

Harvey Earl Joseph Huegele, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto W. Huegele departed this life April 30th, 1914, at 7 P. M. The deceased was born at Riomedina, Texas, February 1st, 1913, and was therefore, 15 months old at the time of his death.
Besides his grief-stricken parents, he leaves one sister and three brothers to mourn his untimely death. The pall bearers were Messrs. Raymond Schott, Joseph and Hugo Haeglein and Gus Boehme. During his short life, he was the light and joy of his home, and his winning smiles and his warm loving heart made a friend of every one who knew him. Long will the memory of his bright eyes and gentle, loving smile live enshrined in the hearts of those who knew him and loved him. On Friday afternoon in the family burial ground with gentle hands and tearful eyes his mortal remains were laid to rest. Rev. Father Heckman performed the last sad rites that consigned earth to earth, dust to dust.
The entire community, as one person, extends its deepest sympathy to the grief-stricken parents, sister and brothers.
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Woman's Missionary Society.

The Woman's Missionary Society met May 4, 1914, at the M. E. Church. The meeting was called to order by the president, followed by song and prayer. An interesting lesson from the Voice was conducted, after which the scripture's references were discussed.
During a short business meeting the society decided to have a Tea in the near future.
The time of meeting was changed from three thirty to four.
PRESS REPORTER.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends for the help and kindness shown us during the illness and death of our little baby. We also thank those who attended the funeral and for the beautiful floral offerings.
MR. AND MRS. JNO. E. NEUMANN.

Auto Club at the Dam.

The San Antonio Automobile Club branch is soon to be a reality. L. Somerfield, who has been engaged as manager of the club house, left for the Medina Dam yesterday with two truck loads of beds, blankets, groceries and general provisions and will have things in readiness to serve meals Sunday to the patrons. A revenue license has been obtained and liquors will be sold to members and members only, on any week-day. Membership in the club will be necessary in order to enjoy this privilege or any other privilege at the Medina Dam club house.
John Roberts and W. H. Furlong, secretary of the Automobile Club, leave this morning at day-break with a force of men to clear up the road through Schuchart's pasture to the dam. The opening of the new road will shorten the distance seven miles, making the total distance only thirty-one miles. The new road goes through a pasture of chalky formation and makes a better roadway than the old and longer one. A signboard will show the change in the road. Instead of passing Schuchart's store on the right, drivers over the road will turn before reaching it and pass it on the left.—Thursday's Express.

Officers Elected.

At the regular meeting of the local Lodge of the Order of the Eastern Star Tuesday night the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:
Mrs. Estella Vore, Worthy Matron.
Mr. P. L. Crain, Worthy Patron.
Mrs. T. C. Barnes, Associate Matron.
Mrs. R. H. Hudspeth, Conductress.
Miss Nita Bradley, Associate Conductress.
Miss Sylvia Haass, Secretary.
Miss Mollie de Montel, Treasurer.
The Eastern Star Lodge is steadily growing and now numbers upwards of sixty members.

Board of Equalization.

Notice is hereby given that the Honorable County Commissioner's Court of Medina County, Texas, will convene and sit as a Board of Equalization on the third Monday of May, A. D. 1914, same being the 18th day of said month, for the purpose of receiving from the assessor of taxes of Medina County all of his assessment lists, books, etc., for their inspection, correction, equalization and approval.
Witness my hand and seal of office, at Hondo, Texas, this 4th day of May, A. D. 1914.
S. A. JUNGMAN,
County Clerk, Medina County, Texas.

Medina Case Continues.

Without having made any ruling in the law points submitted Wednesday, Federal Judge T. S. Maxey is continuing the trial of the case of Medina Valley Irrigation Company vs. Albert Reitzer and wife. A jury was selected Thursday morning and it is probable that the taking of testimony will be begun Friday morning, the case of Leon Cardenas Martinez, on habeas corpus, occupying the attention of the court Thursday afternoon.—The San Antonio Light.

Died.

Little Alton Anton, the 5 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Neumann, died at 3:30 o'clock Monday morning, May 4, 1914, after an illness of only a few days. The little body was buried at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning in the Hondo cemetery, Rev. A. Falkenberg conducting the services.
The Anvil Herald joins in sympathy for the bereaved parents.

For Rent.

Two room house in the town of Hondo, known as the Adolph Haass homestead, \$7.00 per month. To white people only. See Mr. Chancey at the Hondo State Bank for any information.

M. A. KELLER,
Devine, Texas.

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M. A. KELLER,
Devine, Texas.

Auto for Sale Cheap.

For sale cheap. A Model 1913 Krit for \$900.00.
W. B. ODOM,
Hondo, Texas.

Died.

Little Malinda Mae Bohmfalk, the four year and nine months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bohmfalk, died in San Antonio at 9 o'clock Tuesday night, May 5th, 1914. The little body was brought to Hondo Wednesday and buried in the New Fountain Methodist cemetery at 6 o'clock the same evening. The pastor, Rev. J. F. Koch conducted the funeral services.
The little one was suffering from an affection of the nose and it was thought that a very simple operation to that organ would remove the difficulty. She underwent the operation successfully but soon after was taken with convulsions and died despite all that could be done for her.
The parents are heart broken over the untimely loss of their child and have the heartfelt sympathy of all who know them.

Medina River Land For Sale.

Forty acres of land, one mile north of Castroville, adjoining east bank Medina River, fenced, and in cultivation, with nice bottom of Pecan trees, grape vines, etc. This land could be irrigated from adjoining water hole that has never failed, by installing pump, etc. nice fishing place, bathing and boating. Fifty Dollars per acre, one-half cash, balance Notes. Perfect Title. Abstract furnished. The Naegelin tract adjoining made 66 bushels oats to the acre 1913.
MRS. H. E. HAASS, OWNER.
Hondo, Texas.

Weather Report.

For Hondo, Texas, for April, 1914.
Total rain-fall, 3.95. Since Jan. 1st, 6.19 inches.
Temperature, highest, 88 on 15th; lowest, 34 on 9th. Rainy days 12.
H. E. HAASS,
U. S. Vol. Observer,
Hondo, Texas.

Card of Thanks.

We take this means of thanking our friends for their sympathy and assistance in our bereavement, and assure you that so long as we remember our lost Malinda your kindly acts will be cherished by her sorrowing parents.
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Yes, we will honor mother. She, so loving and tender and kind. But what about poor old Dad? Well, the third Sunday in this month will be observed as Fathers' Day. Who had I rather honor than father? M. K. FRED.

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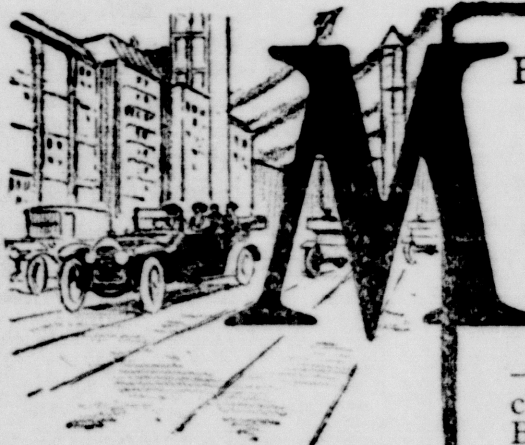
Mr. Eugen Huesser, a young business man of Hondo, and Miss Ella Nester, one of D'Annis' popular daughters, were happily married in San Antonio, Tuesday morning, May 5th. Rev. Father Furhwerk, pastor of the St. Joseph's Catholic Church of that city, performed the service.

After a brief honeymoon trip the young couple will make their home in this city where Mr. Huesser is engaged in the harness and saddlery business.

The Anvil Herald joins the numerous friends of the happy pair in extending them congratulations and best wishes.

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IT'S A GAY OLD WORLD.

IT'S a gay old world when you're gay.
And a glad old world when you're glad.
But whether you play
Or go toiling away
It's a sad old world when you're sad.

IT'S a grand old world if you're great.
And a mean old world if you're small.
It's a world full of hate
For the foolish who prate
Of the uselessness of it all.

IT'S a beautiful world to see.
Or it's dismal in every zone.
The thing it must be
In its gloom or its glee
Depends on yourself alone.

—National Magazine

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TOMMORROW has been designated as Mother's Day.

DRY Farming has thus far been rained out this season!

TAKE care of your credit and your credit will take care of you!

NOTWITHSTANDING he gives us a "cold deal," we all warm up to the ice-man!

HARD times have overtaken many a man because he tarried too long looking for a soft snap!

THE highest state of religious life is when a man sacrifices every personal and worldly advantage, encounters every annoyance or peril, if need be, rather than be in the least untrue to what his soul believes the commandments of God.—J. Storrs Smith.

EDITOR A. Gordon French of the Marfa New Era has severed his connection with that paper and is open to an engagement elsewhere. We hope Bro. French will secure a good berth somewhere in the Southwest where we can continue to enjoy his spicy editorials.

LAST week's issue of the Atascosa Monitor closed the 41st volume of that excellent sheet. Atascosa County owes much to the Monitor, and the splendid appearance of the paper indicates that the people are not without appreciation. Long may the Monitor continue to prosper.

THE refusal of Carranza to submit to arbitration is characteristic of the Mexican race and was to have been expected. Any recognition of one of the warring factions in that distraught country will be resented by the other and we are much mistaken in our interpretation of the signs of the times or this country will eventually be compelled to fight both.

ble. Like him who gave up his life for others, including his enemies, she is willing to be sacrificed at any time for those who call her Mother. Men may fight battles with gun and sword amid the blare of trumpets and the encouraging shouts of their comrades, but there are millions of mothers whose lives are one long drawn out battle with suffering, disease, cruelty and imposition for those they love. This thought recalls this sentiment most beautifully expressed by Joaquin Miller, the "poet of the Sierras," who says: The bravest battle that ever was fought!

Shall I tell you where and when? On the maps of the world you will find it not— It was fought by the mothers of men. But deep in the walled-up woman's heart—

Of a woman that would not yield. But bravely, silently bore her part— Lo, there is the battlefield!

Like the love of God, the true mother love never wavers. If her child attains to greatness, she admires and loves him; if he sinks in ruin and degradation she mourns and loves him; if he loses the esteem, respect and confidence of every one else on earth, she still believes in him and loves him. Son or daughter may be lost to all possibility of reformation, may drain to the dregs the cup of sin and shame, but still she loves, even more strongly if possible than before, when as babes she

kissed their little pink feet and prayed that they might never carry her child upon an unrighteous errand; that they might always walk in the "straight and narrow path." The light of love is always burning in the window of her heart to welcome the lamb that has gone astray, to light the way home for the prodigal. Hers is the greatest love because it is most like the love of him who is love, and whose invitation, impelled by infinite, eternal love, has never been withdrawn—"Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." One who had some realization of the depth of mother love had said: The richest fiber of her life into your own she wove;

Your golden memories are set with jewels of her love. Life's alabaster box she breaks and pours it on your heads, The perfume of her sacrifice through all your being spreads.

Sordid indeed is he who never felt a thrill of gratitude when he thought of the love and gentleness of his mother; of her tireless ministrations when he suffered, of her ever anxious watchfulness for his safety, her unwearied vigilance in protecting him from evil influence and temptation. May Riley Smith writes: The sweetest face in all the world to me, Set in a frame of shining silver hair, With eyes whose language is fidelity; This is my mother. Is she not more fair?

Let fortune smile or frown, whichever she will; It matters not, I scorn her fickle ways! I never shall be quite bereft until I lose my mother's honest blame and praise.

How proud, how glad, how grateful is the mother who has the love, the admiration, the never-waning affection of a son such as one we have in mind who from a distant state wrote her: "I'm glad you are my mother. I'm glad I am your son; indeed, I'm proud to be the son of such a mother." And she was proud to be the mother of such a son. There is love, there is happiness and gratitude, and such should be the relationship between mother and son, regardless of position, wealth or social standing. Such a son is not racked with remorse when she who has been his guardian angel and guiding star has gone to her reward. He does not moan, "And bitterest are my tears that it's too late to say, 'I did not know how wonderful you were!'"

The setting apart of a day to be known as "mother's day" (Sunday, May 10, this year) for the purpose of giving universal emphasis to the holiness of motherhood, and the depth, the wideness, the constancy of mother love, is a bright and glorious omen in the history of the world. It shows growing reverence and respect for that which is pure and good. May an expression heard in a conversation—not an imaginary one, either—between three men recently be the thought of every man and woman at no distant day. One wearing a white carnation was asked in a joking way, "What are you wearing that for? This is not mother's day." The reply was, "Every day is mother's day." Whereupon the third exclaimed, "That's right; it is."

If we could gather up all the flowers that bloom, from the giant magnolia to the modest little violet; if we could make them into a garland that would encircle the world, and could pour over them all the perfume that has made the breezes of summer redolent for a century, and could bind them with golden bands set with the richest jewels from the treasures of the earth; it would be a poor tribute to the patience, the fortitude, the love of—

MOTHER!

—The Galveston News.

THE more the politicians break away from Ferguson and line up with Ball the stronger the former becomes with the masses of the people. The latest turn of the wheel of fortune for Ferguson is the one that landed Col. R. M. Johnston in Doctor Rankin's lap high up on the front seat of Tom Ball's bandwagon. What an edifying spectacle! In the mean time, won't some brother hand the good Doctor another nose holder? The one he used in Colquitt's two successful races must be well worn in this time. P. S. Don't expect to see this in the Post's "Political Pointers" column.

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A Card.
Fort Worth, Texas, April 30, 1914.
To the Honorable Press of Texas:
In justice to the membership of the Farmers' Union of Texas, I wish to call attention to the unmitigated premeditated falsehood appearing in the editorial columns of the "Whitney Messenger" of April 24th, 1914, in which the effort is made to slander the organized farmers of Texas by circulating the following infamous lie:
"Peter Radford and W. D. Lewis still continue to advise the farmers how they should vote for governor. Mr. Lewis in a letter to E. D. Toney recently in answering certain questions in regard to his stand he was taking, stated that the Commercial Secretaries Association of Fort Worth was furnishing the money to finance their advertising, and were really writing all these articles and simply using his name in the matter."
The charge that I made the above statement to Mr. Toney is absolutely and unequivocally false and the press of Texas should demand proof from the editor of the Messenger or a retraction of his deliberate falsehood before he is entitled to recognition and respect of the honorable men composing the Texas press.
To the thoughtful mind, this character of slander and the utter disregard for the rights, as well as the intelligence of the honest, sincere, tax paying farmers of this state only illustrates the depth to which a certain part of the press can be induced to debauch itself in an effort to kill by slander and falsehood the influence exercised in obedience to the instructions of a convention held January 14th, which had for its purpose the unloading from off the back of the farmers and other tax payers, the political demagogues and agents of the predatory interests.
I sincerely regret that the threatened revolt against their continued domination would cause them to resort to such methods, yet I find a solace in the fact that all patriotic citizens who love truth and justice will sit up and take notice of the extreme to which the Political Boss is being driven in order that he may continue to dictate to the citizenship of Texas.
Respectfully,
W. D. LEWIS, President,
Farmers' Educational & Co-Operative Union of Texas.

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A good memory is often a great help, but knowing just when to forget things sometimes counts for more.

Health a Factor in Success.
The largest factor contributing to a man's success is undoubtedly health. It has been observed that a man is seldom sick when his bowels are regular—he is never well when they are constipated. For constipation you will find nothing quite so good as Chamberlain's Tablets. They not only move the bowels but improve the appetite and strengthen the digestion. They are sold by all dealers.
A dinner is not so much an opportunity of pleasing your friends as of airing your own magnificence.
Rheumatism Quickly Cured.
"My sister's husband had an attack of rheumatism in his arm," writes a well known resident of Newton, Iowa. "I gave him a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment which he applied to his arm and on the next morning the rheumatism was gone." For chronic muscular rheumatism you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. Sold by all dealers.
Even when a man has a pull he sometimes has to be pushed.
When your food does not digest well and you feel "blue," tired and discouraged, you should use a little Herbine at bedtime. It opens the bowels, purifies the system and restores a fine feeling of health and energy. Price 25c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

I TOOK PE-RU-NA

Was Able to Sleep and Eat Again

Mrs. Mueller says: "I keep Peru-na in the house constantly. When I am not feeling well I take a few doses. It always restores me."
Mrs. Mueller's story of her experience with Peru-na fully explains why she always keeps Peru-na on hand. A few years ago she was very sick. The trouble seemed to be the stomach and liver. She suffered great pain. Was unable to get anything to help her. She was growing weaker and weaker. She became tired of life.
Somebody suggested that she write to the Peru-na Co. She did so. Through their advice she began to use Peru-na. In a letter from her at this time she says: "Through the use of Peru-na I have regained my health. I took only a bottle and a half when I was able to sleep and eat again and my nervousness disappeared." No wonder Mrs. Mueller keeps Peru-na in the house. Under similar circumstances Peru-na would be in every house in the land.
Any one taking Peru-na ought to have a free copy of the "His of Life." Address Peru-na Co., Columbus, Ohio. People who object to liquid medicines can now obtain Peru-na Tablets.



MRS. M. MUELLER, P. O. Box 321, Hawley, Wayne Co., Penn.

To The Public.
We, the colored patrons of the Hondo Independent school district, want to thank the Trustees for the nine months session.
And then I want to ask a question—What right has the other district to get up a petition against our teacher? We are satisfied with our teacher; all of us except one or two and that few joined that kicking crowd and went to the other district. It is better known by the kicking district. When we were all together this kicking crowd sent in a petition that they wanted to move to the independent district and the commissioners granted it, and then in a short time they turned back and asked for a school right where they had moved from, and this was granted. They have a nice lady teacher and why should't they be satisfied with her? I think they should try to move their own teacher if any, and let ours alone. We have an honorable set of white trustees and I feel sure that they are able to take care of the district, and the petition that is being circulated against our teacher has women and men on it who have no children. This petition is also signed by patrons from the other district. We are in peace and love with our teacher and we ask for a re-election of Prof. S. R. Burton.
FRANK PIERCE.

Coughed for Three Years.
"I am a lover of your godsend to humanity and science. Your medicine, Dr. King's New Discovery, cured my cough of three years standing," says Jennie Flemming, of New Dover, Ohio. Have you an annoying cough? Is it stubborn and won't yield to treatment? Get a 50c bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery today. What it did for Jennie Flemming it will do for you, no matter how stubborn or chronic a cough may be. It stops a cough and stops throat and lung trouble. Relief or money back. 50c and \$1.00, at your Druggist.
Bucklen's Arnica Salve for Pimples.

When in doubt for an argument, turn to statistics. They sound wise, and very few people will do the arithmetic necessary to contradict you.

Cure for Stomach Disorders.
Disorders of the stomach may be avoided by the use of Chamberlain's Tablets. Many very remarkable cures have been effected by these tablets. Sold by all dealers.

Feeble Old People
Are Told How to Regain Strength and Vigor.
As one grows old the waste of the system becomes more rapid than repair, the organs act more slowly and less effectively than in youth, the circulation is poor, the blood thin and digestion weak.
Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic without oil is the ideal strengthener and body-builder for old folks, for it contains the very elements needed to rebuild wasting tissues and replace weakness with strength. Vinol also fortifies the system against colds and thus prevents pneumonia.
Mrs. Mary Ivey, of Columbus, Ga., says: "If people only knew the good Vinol does old people, I am sure you would be unable to supply the demand. I never took anything before that did me so much good as Vinol. It is the finest tonic and strength creator I ever used in my life."
If Vinol fails to build up the feeble, old people, and create strength we will return your money.
W. H. Windrow, Druggist, Hondo.

Antiquities in Danger.
Hidden away in the national museums and libraries, and zealously guarded are a number of priceless manuscripts and books which, but for a fortunate chance, might have been lost to the world. The chief treasure of a museum at St. Petersburg is the oldest known Greek manuscript of the New Testament, which was about to be burned by the monks of a Syrian monastery, when, by a lucky chance, one of the priests, struck with the antiquity of the manuscript, interfered in time to save what has been thought valueless.

Feel Dull and Sluggish? Start Your Liver Working!
It beats all how quickly Foley Cathartic Tablets liven your liver, overcome constipation—make you feel lively and active again. J. L. McKnight, Ft. Worth, Texas, says: "My disagreeable symptoms were entirely removed by the thorough cleansing Foley Cathartic Tablets gave me." They're a wonder. W. H. Windrow.

G. H. & S. A. Passenger Train Schedule.
WEST BOUND
No. 7 Arrives.....12:55 P. M.
No. 9 Arrives.....10:10 P. M.
EAST BOUND
No. 19 Arrives.....7:05 P. M.
No. 8 Arrives.....10:01 A. M.
P. JUNGMAN, JR., Agent.

Helps Kidney and Bladder Trouble—Everybody Satisfied.
Everywhere people are taking Foley Kidney Pills, and are so satisfied they urge others to take them, also A. T. Kelly, McIntosh, Ala., says: "I recommend them to all who suffer from kidney troubles and backache—for they are fine." Best thing you can take for backache, weak back and rheumatism. W. H. Windrow.

A woman never feels comfortable in masculine garb, because it will stay on without being pinned.

Keep Bowel Movement Regular.
Dr. King's New Life Pills keep stomach, liver and kidneys in healthy condition. Rid the body of poisons and waste. Improve your complexion by flushing the liver and kidneys. "I got more relief from one box of Dr. King's New Life Pills than any medicine I ever tried," says C. E. Hatfield, of Chicago, Ills. 25c, at your Druggist.

A woman will risk an interview at an unseasonable hour, but not in an unseasonable frock.

A child can't get strong and robust while intestinal worms eat away its vitality. To give the child a chance to grow these parasites must be destroyed and expelled. White's Cream Vermifuge is guaranteed to remove the worms; it also puts the vital organs in healthy, vigorous condition. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

It's a fine thing to be a leader, but it is better to follow a good example than to set a bad one.

Skin Diseases Cured.
Hunt's Cure is the name of the remedy which is absolutely guaranteed to cure all forms of skin disease or the purchase price promptly refunded. Wonderful results are obtained by its use, curing cases that would not yield to other treatment. Ask your druggist. A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

Don't tell a girl you are in love with her and have an idea that she is going to help you out.

For cholera morbus, cholera infantum, diarrhoea from colic, and wind colic, McGee's Baby Elixir is a remedy of extraordinary power, it relieves colic pains instantly, checks diarrhoea and settles the disordered stomach. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

There is one good point about big troubles—they eat up little ones.

Stiff neck is not only painful but annoying. To get rid of it quickly rub the affected part with Ballard's Snow Liniment. It penetrates the flesh and relaxes the muscles so that the pain ceases immediately. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

We are never too old to learn the things that are of no use to us.

If you belch up a bitter tasting liquid it is a sign of bad digestion. A dose or two of Herbine will correct the disorder. It stimulates digestion and purifies the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Only a foolish woman ever tries to reform a man by roasting him.

Poverty is no disgrace, but wealth can't always say as much.

Never interrupt a man when he prays, curses or kisses.

NO REASON FOR IT.

You Are Shown A Way Out.

There can be no reason why any reader of this who suffers the tortures of an aching back, the annoyance of urinary disorders the pains and dangers of kidney ills will fail to heed the word of a resident of this locality who has found relief. The following is convincing proof.
J. M. McWhorter, postmaster and general merchant, Benton, Texas, says: "I know that Doan's Kidney Pills are a good, reliable remedy and I give these few words of praise so that the greatest number of people may know how good they are. I had a long standing attack of lumbago, brought on by cold. Often I had to lean in a bent over position to ease the pain across the small of my back. I also had some trouble with the action of my kidneys. I had been told to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and I got a box. They relieved me right away. I can certainly recommend this remedy to those suffering from kidney complaint."
Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. McWhorter had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

THE ODD JOBS CLUB.

Helps Boys to Work Their Way Through College.

Mr. T. W. Currie, Secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association at the University of Texas, has this year, for the second time, successfully operated an Odd Jobs Club among the men students, more than half of whom are either wholly or in part self-supporting. In a town the size of Austin there are many people who do not keep regular help and who yet

need occasionally to have this or that thing done. Often it is difficult to find service to meet such a demand; for the people who do manual or clerical labor well are usual at steady employment. But in Austin this demand has been met through the student's Odd Jobs Club.

The calls are of every description. Sometimes a window-washer or a rug-beater is wanted to help out a busy housewife; sometimes there are cows to milk or wood to cut or a lawn to be mowed; or perhaps it is a business man who wants envelopes directed or type-writing done. From the beginning of the present school session up until January 1st the books of the Club show that 155 jobs had been done, netting \$165.00.

Don't marry a saint. They're better to watch than to live with.

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Pomeroyton, Ky.—In interesting advices from this place, Mr. A. J. Hughes writes as follows: "I was down with stomach trouble for five (5) years, and would have sick headache so bad, at times, that I thought surely I would die. I tried different treatments, but they did not seem to do me any good. I got so bad, I could not eat or sleep, and all my friends, except one, thought I would die. He advised me to try Thedford's Black-Draught, and quit

taking other medicines. I decided to take his advice, although I did not have any confidence in it. I have now been taking Black-Draught for three months, and it has cured me—haven't had those awful sick headaches since I began using it. I am so thankful for what Black-Draught has done for me."

Thedford's Black-Draught has been found a very valuable medicine for derangements of the stomach and liver. It is composed of pure, vegetable herbs, contains no dangerous ingredients, and acts gently, yet surely. It can be freely used by young and old, and should be kept in every family chest. Get a package today. Only a quarter.

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What "Bee Dee" Means
"Bee Dee" on the label means REAL VALUE inside the package, and RESULTS and SATISFACTION after the contents have been used. Always ask for "Bee Dee" when you buy a stock or poultry remedy. "Bee Dee" remedies are prepared from pure, medicinal ingredients, in a scientific way, and are genuine medicines that you can depend on.
Bee Dee STOCK & POULTRY MEDICINE LINIMENT—DIP
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After using the Bee Dee Remedies generally for sometime, we take pleasure in saying that they are giving entire satisfaction, and we cheerfully recommend them.
McMillen Stock Farm, Waco, Texas.
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Cures Old Sores, Other Remedies Won't Cure
The worst case, no matter how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time. 25c, 50c, \$1.00.

No Calomel Necessary.
The injurious effect and unpleasantness of taking calomel is done away with by Simmons Liver Purifier, the mildest known liver medicine, yet the most thorough in action. Put up in yellow tin boxes only. Price 25c. Tried once, used always. A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

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He dreamed that he was the manager—he woke up in a dollar-a-day job.

But, "why not?" he asked, "if I acquire the trained ability that business men want. I put in ten hours a day, and I may as well secure the highest rewards possible for my services." You see he woke up some more.

Are you interested in how he got out of the "rut" and really made that dream come true?

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Cleaning and Pressing at City Tailor Shop.

Buy your telephone batteries at C. R. Gaines.

Box candy—all sizes and prices—at Hutzler's.

Order your next suit from the City Tailor Shop.

For all kinds of nuts go to Hutzler's confectionery.

For Sale—Two gentle work mules, C. W. Gilliam.

Every battery tested before being sent out. C. R. Gaines.

Did you see that suit he had on? He ordered it from The Satisfactorium.

1-7-9 will connect you with S. G. Carter, the clothes cleaner and laundry man.

For first-class Cleaning and Pressing, go to the Satisfactorium, C. D. Earnest, Proprietor.

Corona Wool Fat, a healing salve for cuts, sores, etc., on animals. Sold by Mechler & Co.

Fritz H. Bohlen went to Houston Wednesday to attend a Farmers' Union meeting.

My motto is to please and I appreciate your business, S. G. Carter, the Clothes Kleaner, Fone 179.

Remember S. G. Carter when your clothes need cleaning. Palm Beach Suits a specialty. Fone 179.

Eggs for hatching from full-blood White Leghorns for sale at \$1.50 per setting of 15. T. B. Holloway.

S. G. Carter has the best equipped plant in the city for cleaning all kinds of suits and ladies' apparel. Fone 179.

Henry Buss has secured the Yancey mail route and will take charge in July, succeeding the present carrier, Mr. V. C. Hardt.

If you don't know S. G. Carter, the Clothes Kleaner, get acquainted. He appreciates your business and will serve you right. Fone 179.

A severe hail storm visited the section between Yancey and Moore Sunday afternoon. We have not learned the extent of the damage.



Before You Paper

Whether you plan to decorate the whole house or just one room, don't fail to look over our new line of **Orrell Wall Papers**. A wide variety of rich color effects that will delight you. And our workmanship is in keeping with the high standard of the wall papers we handle. Let us give you an estimate. Our work and moderate prices will surprise you.

M. HERWEK
Telephone 171

All kinds of fishing tackle at C. R. Gaines.

Mrs. Earl Boon was an Alamo City visitor Monday.

Prof. A. E. Dorow was here Wednesday from Utopia on business.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Muennink were passengers to San Antonio Monday.

S. G. Carter, the Clothes Kleaner, is always at your service. Fone 179.

Let us have your order for a shop-made wagon bed. L. A. Mechler & Co. Misses Carrie and Ida Folk were passengers to San Antonio Wednesday.

Paul Reinhart was here Wednesday from D'Hanis on business before the District Court.

For Sale, A 7-room residence located in the heart of the city. For price and terms apply to C. J. Monkhouse.

All kinds of canned goods at Heyen's. Fresh fruits of all kinds at Hutzler's confectionery.

Fresh chocolates and all kind of candy at Hutzler's.

Marvin Beal went to San Antonio Wednesday on business.

Henry Kueck Jr. was a passenger to San Antonio Wednesday.

For the best service Fone 179, S. G. Carter, the Clothes Kleaner.

New stock of Columbia batteries always on hand. C. R. Gaines.

I guarantee to make your old hat like new. S. G. Carter, Fone 179.

George Muennink went to San Antonio Wednesday on legal business.

Lee Ward went to Houston Wednesday to attend a Farmers' Union meeting.

Phone 125, the City Tailor Shop, when your clothes need cleaning or pressing.

Equip yourself with a first class reel if you want to enjoy fishing. C. R. Gaines has 'em for sale.

Mrs. W. T. Ford came up Tuesday from Charlotte on a visit to her mother, Mrs. G. W. Monkhouse.

J. B. Lutz passed through here Wednesday enroute to Houston to attend a Farmers' Union meeting.

George Heyen went to Houston Tuesday to look after business and to attend a Farmers' Union meeting.

John L. Schneider went to San Antonio Wednesday after a few days visit to his daughter, Mrs. J. Ira Hurt.

All kinds of blacksmithing or repair work correctly and promptly done. Come and give me a trial. B. C. Manis.

Mrs. J. J. Droicourt and children returned Tuesday from Castroville where they had been on a visit to home folks.

Taken Up, Seven heifers, all branded on left loin. Owner will apply to Jack Fusselman, Hondo, Texas, and pay expenses.

For first class cleaning and pressing phone the City Tailor Shop, Phone 125, we will call for your clothes and deliver them promptly.

Buy a Stewart Horse Clipping and Sheep Shearing Machine from Eugen Huesser and clip your horses. tf.

For Dress-making and all kinds of Plain and Fancy Sewing see Mrs. F. S. Garrison or ring telephone 211. tf.

Mrs. A. H. Sprenger and baby returned home to San Antonio Wednesday after a pleasant visit to home folks here.

Robert Saathoff went to San Antonio Thursday on business. He said he would be back in time for the dance tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Fuos returned Wednesday to their home in San Antonio after a pleasant visit to relatives in this vicinity.

I am prepared to do any kind of wood work. Get my estimates on any kind of a job you need before placing your orders elsewhere. B. C. Manis.

I am prepared to furnish eggs at \$1.50 per setting on short notice from my prize winning S. C. Rhode Island Reds. T. C. Barnes, Hondo, Texas.

Messrs. Mack Kercheville and Jno. T. Briscoe, attorneys from Devine, were here this week attending court. They returned home Thursday morning.

Kilhorn & Karrer erected a 10,000 gallon galvanized tank for Henry Rothe this week. They also erected a big tank for Mrs. Lena Burger this week.

T. A. Brieden went back to Stockdale this week to arrange his affairs so as to move to Hondo to be with his children who will reside with their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Brieden.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Metzger Jr. passed through here Tuesday enroute to D'Hanis. Mr. and Mrs. Metzger have recently refuged from Monterey, Mexico, where they have resided for many years.

Attention is called to the card of Herman Mochler which appears elsewhere in this issue. Mr. Mochler has done considerable painting in Hondo and is willing to let his work speak for itself as to quality.

R. H. Traylor was here Tuesday looking after his interests here. Mr. Traylor reports Lacoste lots selling readily and expects to make quick disposal of the most desirable ones. Any one seeking a small investment on easy terms will do well to investigate Mr. Traylor's proposition.

At the election of school trustees of Hondo Independent School District Saturday afternoon Dr. W. H. Smith, Dr. R. P. Thomas and Fletcher Davis were elected to succeed Judge H. E. Haass, August Hornung and John Frerichs whose terms expired. The hold-over members of the Board are J. G. Newton, Isaac Wilson, V. P. King and L. J. Brucks. The retirement of Judge Haass from the Board left it without a President, and at a meeting Tuesday afternoon, when the new members qualified, Fletcher Davis was elected President and Isaac Wilson was re-elected Secretary of the Board.

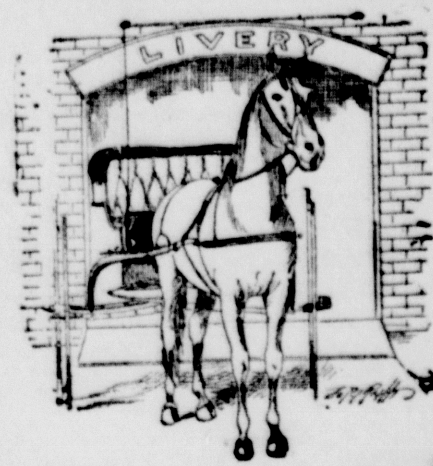
Fresh Grape Fruit and Pine Apples at Heyen's.

Leo Batot was a business caller at this office Tuesday.

Dr. J. W. Nixon was up from Gonzales again this week.

Mike Herweck, the painter, has been plying his trade at D'Hanis this week.

There will be a dance in Saathoff Bros.' hall Saturday night, May 9th. Come out and have a good time. 2t



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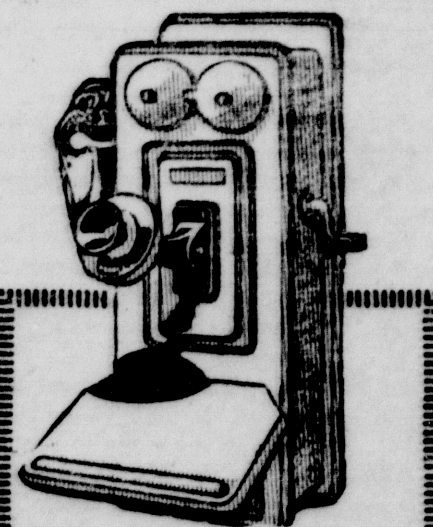
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Come in and talk the matter over with us before buying your lumber elsewhere. We are here to serve you--to be so useful to you that YOU GET THE HABIT of sending to us for all of your Building Material, Brick, Iron Roofing, Paints, Etc. **Hondo Lumber Company, Incorporated.**

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Train wrecked by the spreading of rails during a river flood.

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Who will care for your loved ones if
You are accidentally injured or killed?

They live to-day through your efforts.

Who will take care of them on a fatal to-morrow?

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will protect your income and theirs when your earning powers cease through accidental injury. To be fair to yourself—to be fair to your family is to own an Aetna Accident Policy.

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W. R. Meredith, Agent, Hondo, Texas

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PERSONALS

Get it at Windrow's.

Do you read the Anvil Herald?

Have your Klotches Cleaned at S. G. Carter's, Phone 179.

Mrs. Charlie Metzger was an Alamo City visitor Thursday.

Palm Beach Suits neatly cleaned at S. G. Carter's, Phone 179.

Adolph Nietenhoefer went to San Antonio Thursday on business.

Always ready to serve you and please you. The Suitatorium.

Wm. Schmalkoke was here Monday and bought a nice bunch of horses.

The best is always the cheapest. Come to the Suitatorium. Phone 222.

A marriage license was issued Saturday to Edwin C. Oefinger and Miss Nora Fleener.

A marriage license was issued during the week to J. W. Lowthorp and Miss Viola Hardcastle.

A number of second hand cars for sale cheap. See them at the Hondo Auto Sales Co. garage.

For Sale, Four pair Peafowls at five dollars per pair. Apply to Mrs. P. E. Haas, Dunlay, Texas. St.

Charles F. Haas and family moved up from Devine the first of the week and are occupying the Liebhold house.

Prof. Runnels, formerly principal of the Hondo school, was a visitor to friends here Thursday while enroute from his home in New Mexico to points in Southeast Texas.

For Sale or Trade, our entire Livery & Feed Stables in Hondo, Texas. We own the only Livery Stable here and it will make a good business for some one. McClaugherty & Horger.

Paul Reinhart was a business caller at this office Wednesday.

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J. P. Nixon of Yancey and Ben Mann are in San Antonio this week serving as Federal court jurors.

The members of the High Five Club were enjoyably entertained by Mrs. L. J. Brucks Thursday evening.

A dinner was given by the Baptist ladies in the Mask building Tuesday. Quite a neat sum was realized.

Mrs. Bettie Meriwether and little grand-son, David Holloway, and Mrs. P. Jungman were visitors to Sabinal Thursday.

The carnival company folded its tents Sunday and, "like the Arabs, silently stole away" to a new scene of activities.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Liebhold and children left Friday for Pipe Creek on a visit to Mrs. Lippold's mother who was reported quite sick.

Joe Langfeld, President of the Southwest Texas District Farmers' Union, is attending a state meeting at Houston this week.

Prof. and Mrs. T. C. Hickman of Yancey were here Wednesday. Mrs. Hickman left that evening for Floresville as a delegate to the Congress of Mothers.

The local lodge of Masons holds its regular monthly meeting at the hall tonight. Important business is to be transacted. Visiting brethren are welcome.

Eugene Bohl was here this week attending district court. He informed us that hail did considerable damage in his section south and southeast of Devine Sunday afternoon.

Louis T. Brucks returned Thursday from Dallas where he had been attending school. Owing to the appearance of small pox among the pupils the college has suspended for the term.

Joe Langfeld of D'Hanis was in town Tuesday on business. He reports his crops in fine condition and says that the hail which fell in the south-west part of the county did not extend far enough north to damage his crop.

Celest Pingnot came down from Bandera Wednesday where he has been several weeks with his brother, August Pingnot, who has been suffering from the effects of a fall. Mr. Pingnot returned home to Cline yesterday.

At the regular weekly meeting of Medina Lodge No. 867, I. O. O. F. Thursday night two candidates were given the third degree and received into full membership. Brother Jonsson, a Past Grand from Utah Lodge No. 1, of Salt Lake City, Utah, was among the visiting brethren.

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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I—John Vallant, a rich society favorite, suddenly discovers that the Valiant corporation, which his father founded and which was the principal source of his wealth, has failed.

CHAPTER II—He voluntarily turns over his private fortune to the receiver for the corporation.

CHAPTER III—His entire remaining possessions consist of an old motor car, a white bull dog and Damory court, a neglected estate in Virginia.

CHAPTER IV—He learns that this estate came into the family by royal grant and has been in the possession of the Valiants ever since.

CHAPTER V—On the way to Damory court he meets Shirley Dandridge, an Auburn-haired beauty, and decides that he is going to like Virginia immensely.

CHAPTER VI—An old negro tells Shirley's fortune and predicts great trouble for her on account of a man.

CHAPTER VII—Uncle Jefferson, an old negro, takes Vallant to Damory court.

CHAPTER VIII—Shirley's mother, Mrs. Dandridge, and Major Bristow exchange reminiscences during which it is revealed that the major, Vallant's father, and a man named Sassoon, were rivals for the hand of Mrs. Dandridge in her youth. Sassoon and Vallant fought a duel on her account in which the former was killed.

CHAPTER IX—Vallant finds Damory court overgrown with weeds and crape-ers and the buildings in a very much neglected condition. Uncle Jefferson and his wife, Aunt Daphne, are engaged as servants.

CHAPTER X—Vallant explores his ancestral home. He is surprised by a fox hunting party which invades his estate. He recognizes Shirley at the head of the party.

CHAPTER XI—He gives sanctuary to the cornered fox. Gossips discuss the advent of the new owner and recall the tragedy in which the elder Vallant took part.

CHAPTER XII—Vallant decides to rehabilitate Damory court and make the land produce a living for him.

CHAPTER XIII—He meets Shirley, who has been gathering flowers on the Vallant estate, and reveals his identity to her.

CHAPTER XIV—Vallant saves Shirley from the bite of a snake, which bites him. Knowing the deadliness of the bite, Shirley sucks the poison from the wound and saves his life.

CHAPTER XV—Shirley tells her mother of the incident and the latter is strangely moved at hearing that a Vallant is again living at Damory court.

CHAPTER XVI—Vallant learns some of the history of his family from Doctor Southall and Major Bristow.

CHAPTER XVII—He learns for the first time that his father left Virginia on account of a duel in which Doctor Southall and Major Bristow acted as his father's seconds.

CHAPTER XVIII—Vallant and Shirley become good friends. Mrs. Dandridge faints when she first meets Vallant.

CHAPTER XXI.

Tournament Day.

The noon sun of tournament day shone brilliantly over the village, drowsy no longer, for many vehicles were hitched at the curb, or moved leisurely along the leafy street; big, canvas-topped country wagons drawn by shaggy-footed horses and set with chairs that bumped and jostled their holiday loads from outlying tobacco plantation and stud-farm; sober, black-covered buggies, long narrow, spring-less buckboards, frivolous side-bar runabouts and antique shays resurrected from the primeval depths of cobwebbed stables, relics of tarnished grandeur and faded fortune.

At midday vehicles resolved themselves into luncheon-booths—hamper-stowed away beneath the seats, disclosing all manner of picnic edibles—the court-house yard was an array of

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grass-spread table-cloths, and an air of plenty reigned.

Within Mrs. Merryweather Mason's brown house hospitality sat enthroned and the generous dining-room was held by a regiment of feminine out-of-town acquaintances.

The yard, an hour later, was an active encampment of rocking-chairs, and a din of conversation floated out over the pink oleanders whose tubs had achieved a fresh coat of bright green paint for the occasion. Mrs. Poly Gifford—a guest of the day—here shone resplendent.

"The young folks are counting mightily on the dance tonight," observed Mrs. Livy Stowe of Seven Oaks. "Even the Buckner girls have got new ball dresses."

"Improvident, I call it," said Mrs. Gifford. "They can't afford such things, with Park Hill mortgaged up to the roof the way it is."

Mrs. Mason's soft apologetic alto



"Friends!" snapped the other, "The Fewer I Have the Better!"

interposed. "They're sweet girls, and we're never young but once. I think it was so fine of Mr. Vallant to offer to give the ball. I hear he's motored to Charlottesville three or four times for fixings, though I understand he's poor enough since he gave up his money as he did. What a princely act that was!"

"Y-e-e-s," agreed Mrs. Gifford, "but a little—what shall I call it?—precipitous! If I were married to a man like that I should always be in terror of his adopting an orphan asylum or turning Republican or something equally impossible."

The doctor shut his office door with a vicious slam and from the vantage of the wire window-screen looked sourly across the beds of marigold and nasturtium.

"I reckon if Mrs. Poly Gifford shut her mouth more than ten minutes hand-running," he said malevolently, "the top of her head'd fly from here to Charlottesville."

The major, ensconced with a cigar in the easy chair behind him, flourished his palm-leaf fan and smote an errant fly.

"Speaking of Damory Court," he said in his big voice. "The dance idea was a happy thought of young Vallant's. I'll be surprised if he doesn't do it to the queen's taste."

The doctor nodded. "This place can't teach him much about such folderolings, I reckon. He's led more cotillions than I've got hairs on my head."

"I'd hardly limit it to that," said the major, chortling at the easy thrust. "And after all, even folderolings have their use."

"Who said they hadn't? If people choose to make whirling dervishes of themselves, they at least can reflect that it's better for their lives than cane-bottom chairs. Though that's about all you can say in favor of the modern ball."

"Pshaw!" said the major. "I remember a time when you used to rig out in a claw-hammer and

"Dance all night till broad daylight! And go home with the girls in the morning."

"I got over it before I was old enough to make myself a butt of hilarity," the doctor retorted. "I see by the papers they've invented a new dance called the grizzly bear. I believe there's another named the yip-koodle. I hope you've got 'em down pat to show the young folk tonight, Bristow."

The major got up with some irritation. "Southall," he said, "sometimes I'm tempted to think your remarks verge upon the personal. You don't have to watch me dance if you don't choose to."

"No, thank God," muttered the doctor. "I prefer to remember you when you still preserved a trace of dignity—twenty odd years ago."

"If dignity—" the major's blood was rising now—"consists in your eternal tasteless bickerings, I want none of it. What on earth do you do it for? You had some friends once."

"Friends!" snapped the other, "the fewer I have the better!"

The major clapped on his straw hat angrily, strode to the door, and opened it. But on the threshold he stopped, and presently shut it, turned back slowly and resumed his chair. The doctor was re-lighting his cigar, but an odd furtive look had slipped to his face, and the hand that struck the match was unsteady.

For a time both sat smoking, at first in silence, then talking in a desultory way on indifferent topics. Finally the major rose and tossed his cigar into the empty grate.

"I'll be off now," he said. "I must be on the field before the others."

As he went down the steps a carriage, drawn by a pair of dancing grays, plumed past. "Who are those people with the Chalmers, I wonder,"

said the doctor. "They're strangers here."

The major peered. "Oh," he said, over his shoulder, "I forgot to tell you. That's Silas Fargo, the railroad president from New York, and his daughter Katharine. His private car's down on the siding. They're at the Judge's—he's chief counsel for the road in this state. They'll be at the tournament, I reckon. You'll be there, won't you?"

The doctor was putting some phials and instruments into a worn leather bag. "No," he said, shortly. "I'm going to take a ten-mile drive—to add to this county's population, I expect. But I'm coming to the dance. Promised Vallant I would, in a moment of temporary aberration."

CHAPTER XXII.

A Virginian Runnymede.

"June in Virginia is something to remember." Today the master of Damory Court deemed this a true saying. For the air was like wine, and the drifting white wings of cloud, piled above the amethystine ramparts of the far Blue Ridge, looked down upon a violet world bound in green and silver.

In his bedroom Vallant stood looking into the depths of an ancient wardrobe. Presently he took from a hook a suit of white flannel in which he arrayed himself. Over his soft shirt he knotted a pale gray scarf. The modish white suit and the rolling Panama threw out in fine contrast the keen sun-tanned face and dark brown eyes.

In the hall below he looked about him with satisfaction. For the last three days he had labored tirelessly to fit the place for the evening's event. The parlor now showed walls rimmed with straight-back chairs and the grand piano—long ago put in order—had been relegated to the library. That instinct for the artistic, which had made him a last resort in the vexing problems of club entertainments, had aided him in the Court's adornment.

Out of the kitchens Cassandra's egg-beating chatted like a watchman's rattle, while Aunt Daphne put the finishing touches to an array of lighter edibles destined to grace the long table on the rear porch, now walled in with snow-white muslin and hung with candle-lusters. Under the trees Uncle Jefferson was even then experimenting with various punch compounds, and a delicious aroma of vanilla came to Vallant's nostrils.

The Red Road, as Vallant's car passed, was dotted with straggling pedestrians: humble country folk who trudged along the grassy foot-path with no sullen regard for the swift cars and comfortable carriages that left them behind; sturdy barefooted children who called shrilly after him, and happy-go-lucky negro youths clad in their best with Sunday shoes dangling over their shoulders, slouching regardlessly in the dust—all bound for the same Mecca, which presently rose before him, a gateway of painted canvas proclaiming the field to which it opened Runnymede.

He halted his car at the end of the field and snapped a leash in the bulldog's collar. "I hate to do it, old man," he said apologetically to Chum's reproachful look, "but I've got to. There are to be some stunts, and in such occasions you're apt to be convinced you're the main one of the contestants, which might cause a mix-up. Never mind; I'll anchor you where you won't miss anything."

With the excited dog tugging before him, he threaded his way through the press with keen exhilaration. Now and then his gloved hand touched his cap at a salutation. He was conscious of swift bird-like glances from pretty girls. Here was none of the rigid straight-ahead gaze or vacant stare of the city boulevard; the eyes that looked at him, frankly curious and inquiring, were full of easy open comradeship. Some of the girls wore gowns and hats that might that morning have issued from the Rue de la Paix; others were habited in cheap materials. But about the latter hung no benumbing self-consciousness. All bore themselves alike. He was beginning to realize that there might really exist straitened circumstances, even actual poverty, which yet created no sort of social difference.

Opposite the canvas-covered grand stand sat twelve small mushroom tents, each with a staff and tiny flag. Midway lines of flaxen ropes stretched between rows of slender peeled saplings from whose tops floated fanged streamers of vivid bunting. A pavilion of purple cloth, open at the sides, awaited for the committee, and near the center, a negro band was disposed on camp-stools, the brass of the waiting instruments winking in the sunlight. The stand was a confused glow of color, of light gauzy dresses, of young girls in pastel muslins with flowers in their belts, picturesque hats and slender articulate hands darting in vivacious gestures like white swallows—the gentry from the "big houses."

The light athletic figure, towed by the white bull-dog, drew many glances. Vallant's eyes, however, as they swept the seats, were looking for but one, and at first vainly. He felt a quick pang of disappointment. Perhaps he would not come! Perhaps her mother was still ill. Perhaps—but then suddenly his heart beat high, for he saw her in the lower tier, with a group of young people. He could not have told what she wore, save that it was of soft Murillo blue with a hat, whose down-curved brim was wound with a shaded plume of the same tint. Her mother was not with her. She was not looking his way as he passed—her arms at the moment being held out in an adorable gesture toward a little child in a smiling matron's lap—and but a single glance was vouchsafed to him

before the major seized upon him and bore him to the purple pavilion, for he was one of the committee.

But for this distraction, he might have seen, entering the stand with the Chalmers just as the band struck up a delicious whirl of "Dixie," the two strangers whom the doctor had observed an hour before as they whirled by the Merryweather Mason house behind the Judge's grays. Silas Fargo might have passed in any gathering for the unobtrusive city man. Katharine was noticeable anywhere, and today her tall willowy figure in its champagne-color lingerie gown and hat garnished with bronze and gold tinsles, setting in relief her ivory statuesque face, drew a wave of whispered comment which left a sibilant wake behind him. The party made a picturesque group as they now disposed themselves, Katharine's colorless loveliness contrasting with the eager sparkle of pretty Nancy Chalmers and the gipsy-like beauty of Betty Page.

"You call it a tournament, don't you?" asked Katharine of the Judge.

"Yes," he replied. "It's a kind of contest in which twelve riders compete for the privilege of naming a Queen of Beauty. There's a ball tonight, at which the lucky lady is crowned. Those little tents are where the noble knights don their shining armor. See, there go their caparisoned chargers."

A file of negroes was approaching the tents, each leading a horse whose saddle and bridle were decorated with fringes of various hues. In the center of the roped lists, directly in front of the stand, others were planting upright in the ground a tall pole from whose top projected a horizontal arm like a slender gallows. From this was suspended a cord at whose end swung a tiny object that whirled and glittered in the sun.

The Judge explained. "On the end of the cord is a silver ring, at which the knights tilt with lances. Twelve rings are used. The pike-points are made to fit them, and the knight who carries off the greatest number of the twelve is the victor. The whole thing is a custom as ancient as Virginia—a relic, of course, of the old jousting of the feudal ages. The ring is supposed to represent the device on the boss of the shield, at which the lance-thrust was aimed."

"How interesting!" exclaimed Katharine, and turning, swept the stand with her lorgnette. "I suppose all the county's F. F. V.'s are here," she said laughingly to Nancy Chalmers. "I've often wondered, by the way, what became of the Second Families of Virginia."

"Oh, they've mostly emigrated North," answered Nancy. "The ones that are left are all ancient. There are families here that don't admit they ever began at all."

Silas Fargo shook his stooped shoulders with laughter. "Up North," he said genially, "we've got regular factories that turn out ready-made family-trees for anybody who wants to root in one."

And now over the fluttering stand and the crowd about the barriers, a stir was discernible. Katharine looked again at the field. "Who is that splendid old man giving directions? The one who looks like a lion. He's coming this way, now."

"That's Major Montague Bristow," said the Judge. "He's been master of the heralds for years. The tournament could hardly happen without the major."

"I'm sure I'd like him," she answered. "What a lovely girl he is talking to!"

It was Shirley who had beckoned the major from the lists. She was leaning over the railing. "Why has Ridgeley Pendleton left?" she asked in a low voice. "Isn't he one of the twelve?"

"He was. But he's ill. He wasn't feeling up to it when he came, but he didn't give up till half an hour ago. We'll have to get along with eleven knights."

She made an exclamation of dismay. "Poor Ridge! And what a pity! There have never been less than the full number. It will spoil the royal



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quadrille tonight, too. Why doesn't the committee choose some one in his place? Listen. Why not ask Mr. Vallant? He is our host tonight. I'm sure he'd be glad to help out, even without the costume."

"Egad!" he said, pulling his imperial. "None of us had thought of him. He could ride Pendleton's mount, of course." He reflected a moment. "I'll do it. It's exactly the right thing. You're a clever girl, Shirley." He hastily crossed the field, while she leaned back, her eyes on the flannel figure—long since recognized—under the purple pavilion. She saw the committee put their heads together and hurriedly enter.

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The major returned to the grand stand and held up his hand for silence.

"Our gracious Liege," he proclaimed, in his big vibrant voice, "Queen of Beauty yet unknown, Lords, Knights and Esquires, Fair Dames and gentles all! Whereas divers noble persons have enterprized and taken upon them to hold jousts royal and tourney, you are hereby acquainted that the lists of Runnymede are about to open for that achievement of arms and grand and noble tournament for which they have so long been famed. But an hour since one of our noble knights, pricking hither to tilt for his lady, was beset by a grievous malady. However, lest our jousting lack the royal number, a new champion hath at this last hour been found to fill the Table Round, who of his courtesy doth consent to ride without armor."

A buzz ran over the assemblage. "It must be Pendleton who has defaulted," said Judge Chalmers. "I heard this morning he was sick. Who's the substitute knight, I wonder?"

At the moment a single mounted herald before the tents blew a long blast on a silver horn. Their flaps parted and eleven knights issued to mount their steeds and draw into line behind him. They were brilliantly decked in fleshings with slashed doublets and plumed chapeaus, and short jeweled cloaks drooped from their shoulders. Pages handed each a long lance which was held perpendicular, the butt resting on the right stirrup.

Under the pavilion, just for the fraction of a second, Vallant hesitated. Then he turned swiftly to the twelfth tent. Its flag-staff bore a long streamer of deep blood-red. He snatched this from its place, flung it about his waist and knotted it sash-wise. He drew the rose from his lapel and thrust it through the band of his Panama, leaped to the saddle of the horse the major had beckoned, and with a quick thrust of his heel, swung to the end of the stamping line.

The field and grand stand had seen the quick decision, with its instant action, and as the hoofs thudded over the turf, a wave of hand-clapping ran across the seats like a silver rain. "Neatly done, upon my word!" said the Judge, delighted. "What a daring idea! Who is it? Is it—bless my soul, it is!"

Katharine Fargo had dropped her lorgnette with an exclamation. She stood up, her wide eyes fixed on that figure in pure white, with the blood-red cordon flaunting across his horse's flanks and the single crimson blossom glowing in his hat.

"The White Knight!" she breathed. "Who is he?"

Judge Chalmers looked round in sudden illumination. "I forgot that you would be likely to know him, he said. That is Mr. John Vallant of Damory Court."

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as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer
Medina County, at the November election.

Sheriff
I am authorized to announce
D. B. MARTIN
as a candidate for Sheriff of Medina County, at
the November election.

I am authorized to announce
D. S. ROBERTSON
as a candidate for Sheriff of Medina County,
subject to the action of the Democratic primary
in July.

County Judge
I am authorized to announce
R. J. NOONAN
as a candidate for the office of County Judge of
Medina County, at the November election.

I am authorized to announce
H. E. HAASS
as a candidate for the office of County Judge of
Medina County, at the November election.

County Attorney
I am authorized to announce
ELMER DE MONTE
as a candidate for the office of County Attorney
Medina County at the November election.

County Clerk
I am authorized to announce
S. A. JUNGMAN
as a candidate for the office of County Clerk
Medina County at the November election.

Tax Collector
I am authorized to announce
JOE NEY
as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of
Medina County, at the November election.

Tax Assessor
I am authorized to announce
L. E. HEATH
as a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of
Medina County, at the November election.

I am authorized to announce
FRITZ G. MUEHNK
as a candidate for Tax Assessor of Medina County,
at the November election.

Justice of the Peace
I am authorized to announce
A. M. LAMM
as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, Precinct
No. 1, Medina County, at the November election.

Public Weigher
I am authorized to announce
FRED NEUMAN
as a candidate for County Commissioner, Precinct
No. 1, at the November election.

Eyes Sunken With Pain.
Three years ago I had a very bad
case of neuritis which caused my eyes
to become sunken and bloodshot with
pain. Hunt's Lightning Oil was recom-
mended and, after using, the pain left
and has not returned, says A. M. Coff-
ey, 316 Van Buren street, Litchfield,
Ill. This wonderful medicine is sold
at all druggists everywhere. A. B. Rich-
ards Medicine Co., Sherman, Tex.

Hill-Honesty is the best policy.
"Joe-How?"
"Remember that dog I stole?"
"Yes."

"Well, I tried two whole days to
kill him, and no one offered more'n
the shillings; so I went, like an honest
man, and gave him to the old lady what
he deserved, and she gave me a suvvin'."

Not Fit for Ladies.
Public sentiment should be against it
and we believe it is; there can be no
reason why ladies should suffer with
headaches and neuritis, especially
when Hunt's Lightning Oil gives such
prompt relief. It is simply a question
of getting the ladies to try it. All
druggists sell Hunt's Lightning Oil in
the 5c and 50c bottles. A. B. Richards
Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas.

"Harry," she said, thoughtfully.
"What is it?" responded the wor-
thy business man, rather shortly.
"I wish you could re-arrange your
business a little bit."

"How?"
"So as to be a bear on the Stock
exchange instead of at home."

Children's Diseases Start With a Cold.
Croup, Whooping Cough, an in-
flamed throat and spasmodic cough-
ing—these are the first signs of
whooping cough. It is starting in
Poley's Honey and Tar promptly.
It helps the children so very much, and
it gets fine results from it and it is a
great medicine for whooping cough.
H. Windrow.

GREAT PARADES AT THE REUNION

**Maids and Sponsors To Open
Series On Morning Of
the First Day**

**Sons of Veterans and Military Organi-
zations Second Day, While the
Veterans Parade Last Day.**

Jacksonville, Fla.—With the near
approach of May 6, interest in the
24th annual reunion of the United
Confederate Veterans' Association and
Sons of Confederate Veterans, centers
around the three parades, one each
day of the reunion. It has been de-
finitely decided that the first parade
will be that of the maids and sponsors,
and it will be given on the afternoon
of May 6.

This parade will be confined to au-
tomobiles and carriages and all spon-
sors and maids of honor will be ad-
mitted to it. The Jacksonville Reu-
nion Association has decided that,
if possible, the parade of maids and
sponsors will be the finest spectacle
of the kind ever seen in the southern
states. The route will be several miles
long and passes through the principal
residence and business sections of the
city.

The parade of the second day, May
7, will be of the Sons of Confederate
Veterans and local military organiza-
tions. It is the present plan for the
Sons to march on foot, and the parade
will take in the business sections of
the city.

On the morning of May 8, the last
day of the reunion, the annual parade
of the Confederate Veterans will be
held. Jacksonville labors under a dis-
advantage in staging this parade that
no other reunion city has ever en-
countered, that of securing horses.
There are very few available horses
in Jacksonville, and as a result it has
been decided to make the parade a
combination between horses, automo-
biles and foot-marching. The local
association believes that it will be
possible for the commanders and their
staff officers to be provided with
mounts, but it is going to be a diffi-
cult matter to secure a sufficient num-
ber even for that. However, a united
effort is being made to secure all the
mounts possible in Jacksonville and
nearby towns in Florida and South
Georgia.

Arrangements for these parades are
being worked out rapidly by special
committees. Maj. S. C. Harrison is
chairman of the committee that will
have charge of the Sons of Veterans
parade. He is being assisted by the
local camp of Sons of Veterans, of
which Judge John L. Dodge is com-
mander. Adjt. Gen. N. B. Forrest, of
the National Sons of Veterans, is here
giving much of his attention to these
arrangements.

Dr. W. M. Stinson is chairman of
the committee on entertainment of
maids and sponsors, and has been
working on plans for some time with
a corps of assistants. He will organ-
ize the entire program of the maids
and sponsors entertainment features
and promises to give the visiting la-
dies the best possible reception in
Jacksonville.

Gen. John L. Inglis, commander of
the Florida division, U. C. V., is, un-
der the rules of the United Confed-
erate Veterans' Associations, chief mar-
shal of the veterans parade, with Gen.
W. H. Sebring, chief aide. Gen. Inglis
wants a parade in which the older vet-
erans will occupy automobiles and car-
riages, with commanders and as many
of their staffs as possible on horse-
back. The veterans' parade is being
worked out along these lines.

The social functions of the reunion
will be about the same as have pre-
vailed at other reunion cities. Three
balls will be given during the week,
one for maids and sponsors, one for
the Sons of Veterans and the other
for the veterans themselves. Gen.
Bennett H. Young appointed as his
chief sponsor Miss Corinne Hampton,
of Columbia, S. C. His maids of hon-
or are Misses Minnie Brock, of Chat-
tanooga; Eloise Washburn, of Mont-
gomery, Ala., and Miss Gladys Ker-
nan, of New Orleans. These ladies
represent the south in the social func-
tions of the reunion.

A dancing pavilion will be erected
close to the business sections of the
city, and it will be large enough to
accommodate the reunion balls. In
addition to the balls there will be a
number of events on the program for
the entertainment of official ladies.
Chief among these is a trip to the sea-
shore, and an excursion or two on the
St. Johns river. Some two hundred
young men have volunteered their
services as escorts for the visiting la-
dies, and everything points to a most
enjoyable week for all who may par-
ticipate in the social functions and
the annual parades.

PAVED HIGHWAYS REUNION TRAVELS

**Jacksonville Has Many High
Class Roads to Points
of Interest**

**Trips to Be Taken Over Them in Au-
tomobiles During the Reunion of
Confederates May 6, 7, 8.**

Jacksonville, Fla., April.—It is safe
to say that hundreds, and possibly
thousands, of visitors to Jacksonville
during the week of the great Reunion
of Confederate Veterans and Sons of
Veterans, will make the trip from
their homes in automobiles. Numer-
ous inquiries have been received from
all parts of the country concerning
road conditions, and especially in re-
gard to the practicability of reaching
other points in Florida by automobile
trips from Jacksonville.

For the information of auto owners,
desirous of bringing their cars to
Jacksonville at the time of the Re-
union, attention is called to the fact
that the city license books show that
there are over 2,000 licensed automo-
biles in the city of Jacksonville alone,
and during the past winter season
more than 2,500 motor-driven vehicles
have passed through Jacksonville en
route to various places on the Florida
peninsula. Unless there were fairly
good roads, leading from Jacksonville
to other sections of the State, there
would not have been one-tenth as
many cars in Florida this season, and
the home people of Jacksonville would
not have invested so heavily in motor
vehicles.

Duval county, of which Jacksonville
is the county seat, was among the first
of the Florida counties to issue road
improvement bonds and to begin the
paving of its highways with vitrified
paving brick and concrete. With a
population of only 75,000 in 1909, this
county issued road improvement bonds
that year to the amount of \$1,000,000,
and it was provided that not more
than \$250,000 was to be expended in
road construction each year for four
years. The bonds were sold at a
handsome premium and the money
has all been expended on the roads of
the county, with a result that this
county now has some of the very best
in the South, and these roads are a
joy to the joyrider and to all persons
who use them.

But this is not all; for the Board of
County Commissioners is at the pres-
ent time working up interest in a
proposition to issue from \$2,000,000 to
\$5,000,000 additional road improve-
ment bonds and construct a system of
paved roads and highways throughout
the county of Duval that will be a
model for all sections of the country.

Jacksonville is only seventeen miles
in a direct line from the Atlantic
Ocean, where there is one of the finest
beaches in the world, affording a speed-
way four hundred feet in width and
twenty miles in length. Here is the
ideal automobile course and it is vis-
ited by thousands of cars every year.
From the city to the seashore the
county has constructed a magnificent
boulevard, paved with vitrified brick
and with concrete for the entire dis-
tance. Hundreds of cars traverse this
Atlantic Boulevard, as it is known,
daily, and during the Reunion many
thousands of visitors will make the
trip by auto to the beach. Once on
the seashore they will find much to
interest them. Surf bathing will be
at its best during the Reunion week
and many visitors from interior points,
who have never before had the oppor-
tunity to plunge into the big breakers
of Old Ocean, will find the experience
a novel and delightful one.

From Jacksonville to St. Augustine
the distance by auto is 38 miles and
the trip is easily made in two hours.
In fact, the record for the trip is one
hour and nine minutes, but that is al-
most too fast for a trip to the oldest
city in the United States.

The road from South Jacksonville,
on the opposite side of the majestic
St. Johns river from the Reunion city,
is paved with shell for nine miles and
the going is good. Then comes six
miles of brick paving over which the
cars fairly skim along. The next four
miles, to the Duval county line, have
not yet been paved, but a temporary
surface of shavings has been provid-
ed. From the county line to St. Au-
gustine, a distance of 18 miles, the
road is not yet paved but shell has
been placed in the wheel ruts and good
time can be made by the average car.
Still another attractive trip, on the
south side of the St. Johns river, is
that to Mandarin, a pretty little vil-
lage on the banks of the river, about
fifteen miles from the city. This road
is well paved with shell for the entire
distance and passes through some
very pretty orange groves, which in
themselves are an attraction to all.
At Mandarin there are a number of
attractive homes, surrounded by pret-
ty gardens, groves and farms. This
village is the site of the former home
of the late Mrs. Harriett Beecher
Stowe, the author of "Uncle Tom's
Cabin."

The city of Jacksonville has sixty
miles of paved streets and contracts
are now outstanding for several addi-
tional miles, work on which will start
immediately after the reunion, as it is
the desire of the city authorities not
to have the streets torn up while the
visitors are here.

Sight-seeing automobiles are numer-
ous in Jacksonville every winter and
this year several of the large cars will
remain over until after the reunion.

Child Cross? Feverish? Sick?
A cross, peevish, listless child, with
coated tongue, pale, doesn't sleep; eats
sometimes very little, then again raven-
ously; stomach sour; breath fetid; pains
in stomach, with diarrhoea; grinds
teeth while asleep and starts up with
terror—all suggest a Worm Killer—
something that expels worms, and al-
most every child has them. Kickapoo
Worm Killer is need. Get a box today.
Start at once. You won't have to coax,
as Kickapoo Worm Killer is a candy
confection. Expels the worms, the
cause of your child's trouble. 25c, at
your druggist.

A very stout fellow once presented
himself to Sir Francis Burdett and
asked him if he had a situation to give
him.
"I do not know you," said Sir
Francis, looking at him.

"Why, have you forgotten me?"
said the fellow. "I was formerly a
page in your house."
"My dear boy," said the Baronet,
"you have become a volumin."

Biliousness and Constipation.
For years I was troubled with bil-
iousness and constipation, which made life
miserable for me. My appetite failed
me. I lost my usual force and vitality.
Pepsin preparations and cathartics only
made matters worse. I do not know
where I should have been today had I
not tried Chamberlain's Tablets. The
tablets relieve the ill feeling at once,
strengthen the digestive functions,
purify the stomach, liver and blood,
helping the system to do its work nat-
urally. —Mrs. Rosa Potts, Birmingham,
Ala. These tablets are for sale by
all dealers.

Women are jealous creatures; they
are even jealous of their own noses,
as any powder-puff will testify, for no
woman likes her nose to shine in so-
ciety.

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**TAN-NO-MORE
THE SKIN BEAUTIFIER**
The scientific combination of Cream
and Powder. Delightful in appearance
and pleasing in its effect. Used during
the day it is a protection from the sun
and wind. In the evening its use assures
a faultless complexion.
Experience has taught us that the best way
to apply Tan-No-More is to put it on very wet
and wipe off with a soft towel at once and do not wait
for it to dry. All Dealers

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Women of the highest type,
women of superior education and
refinement, whose discernment
and judgment give weight and
force to their opinions, highly
praise the wonderful corrective
and curative properties of Cham-
berlain's Stomach and Liver Tab-
lets. Throughout the many stages
of woman's life, from girlhood,
through the ordeals of mother-
hood to the declining years, there
is no safer or more reliable med-
icine. Chamberlain's Tablets are
sold everywhere at 25c a box.

DOUBLED HIS SALARY IN ONE YEAR

Sounds like a "gold brick"
story—but it isn't. It is a fre-
quent experience of young peo-
ple who complete a course in this
school.

It will cost absolutely nothing
but a moment's time and a pos-
tal card card to find out about it
—we will do the rest.

These young people did not
put off things until "tomorrow".
San Antonio Business College,
307 Alamo Plaza,
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To Prevent Blood Poisoning
apply at once the wonderful old reliable DR.
POTTER'S ANTISEPTIC HEALING OIL, a sur-
gical dressing that relieves pain and heals at
the same time. Not a liniment. 25c. Soc. \$1.00.

Maybe You Were One of Them

Were You Cheated

into believing that because a baking pow-
der foamed up over the top of a glass
when water was added, that it was a good,
pure and strong baking powder?

It foams because it contains ALBUMEN (some-
times called the white of egg.)

**ALBUMEN in baking powder is no help in the
baking.**

**It does not make a stronger or better baking
powder.**

**It deceives the consumer when she sees it
foam in the glass.**

**State after state has ruled that baking powder
mixed with ALBUMEN is illegal and has stopped
the sale of the stuff.**

**United States Government authorities have de-
clared that the water glass test is a fraud, and that albumen
does not help the baking.**

**Food commissioners North, South, East and West
have denounced the albumen fraud.**

DO NOT LET FAKIRS FOOL YOU.

**The manufacturers of K C BAKING Powder have
never found it necessary to resort to such fraudulent
methods.**

K C BAKING POWDER Contains No Albumen

It is a pure food baking powder, sold at an honest
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For Dressmaking and all kinds of plain and fancy sewing call on Miss Annie Gronewald, at the Racket Store. Satisfaction guaranteed. tf.

Spring and Summer Samples

have arrived. Come in and look them over. Let me take your measure for a Suit.

Cleaning and Pressing. All work guaranteed. Work called for and delivered.

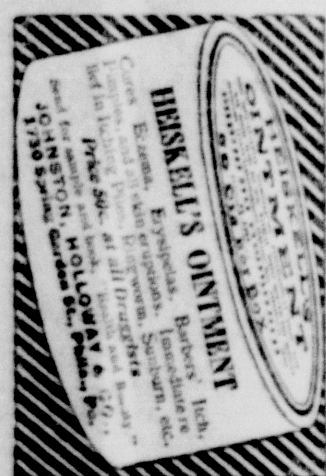
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Notice to Horse Owners.

I have opened a shop back of Frank Schweers' butcher shop where I will do horse-shoeing exclusively. No other work accepted. Bring your horses and mules to me and have their shoes fitted by an expert specialist.
EMIL F. MARTIN.

Bargains In Homes.

One of the best houses in Hondo, three blocks south of depot on Center St. Also the Waitman house in south part of town. Apply to
C. W. GILLIAM.

Notice.

I am now ready to shell corn any where wanted. Satisfaction guaranteed. Apply to
R. SCHWARZ,
Telephone 168. Hondo, Texas.

Notice Stockmen.

My horse and jack will make the season at my ranch 16 miles north of Hondo. BEN DE GROOT. 3mcpd

Murphy Real came in yesterday from Del Rio.

I H. King was a passenger to San Antonio yesterday.

Joe Ney returned yesterday from a business visit to Devine.

The best paper for local and county news—that's the Anvil Herald.

John Hartmann shipped a car of cattle to Ft. Worth this week.

Jack Fusselman shipped a car of calves to San Antonio this week.

Try the Anvil Herald one year for one dollar—less than two cents a week.

A San Antonio Business College Scholarship for sale at this office. tf.

One car of oats and a car of corn were shipped from this place this week.

Nester & Schweers shipped a car of cattle to San Antonio during the week.

We can print most any thing in the job printing line. Get the Anvil Herald's prices. tf.

Mrs. Ferd Kilhorn Jr. and children are spending the week with home folks at Noonan.

John S. Hay was here during the week returning to San Antonio from a fishing trip to Bandera.

When you need the services of a Notary Public call at the Anvil Herald office or ring telephone 127.

Send the Anvil Herald to your relatives and friends elsewhere. It will be a weekly news-letter to them.

Ross Holloway and A. G. Holloway left Tuesday for Dilley where they are preparing to operate a gin again this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schuchard returned to their home at Victoria yesterday after a month's visit to Mr. and Mrs. X. Wentz.

The Hondo High School boys and Prof. A. F. Serafine went to Devine yesterday evening where a return game of ball was played with the Devine High School boys.

For Sale. A few settings of eggs from a select mating of pure blooded Barred Plymouth Rocks at \$1.50 per setting of 15. File your orders early at The Anvil Herald office.

The school census is now being taken in the county and patrons should see that all of their children as well as those of their tenants are promptly enrolled. J. G. Newton is the census enumerator in Hondo district.

For Sale, A 2395-acre ranch, four miles north of Sanson on the Rock Springs road. Sixty-five per cent tillable. Price \$13.50 per acre, one third cash and balance on easy terms. Apply to the Hondo Land Co., Hondo, Texas.

A TEXAS WONDER.

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, removing gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism, and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women. Regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two month's treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Send for Texas testimonials. Sold by druggists.

Notice To Electric Consumers and Builders.

All house wiring and any connection past the main cut out of the Company connection, must be inspected by an inspector of The Hondo Light Power & Ice Co., before connection will be made by company at the time of installation where wires cannot be inspected after the completion of building, and all open work after the completion of building, compensation of inspector will be based on each switch and drop.

As in a number of instances incompetent men have wired houses, not understanding electricity or the rules and requirements for electrical wiring for fire protection, short circuiting wires, causing houses to catch fire, also grounding wires, causing lightning to rush into the house, destroying lamps, meters and causing fire. If properly wired lightning will rush to the electric plant or lightning arrestors which will handle it without damage or inconvenience.

The grounding and short circuits cause disastrous results and expense to the company.

Main fuses must be installed by company men only as there have been people who have placed wire, cents and other things in place of fuses, causing the burning up of fuse block, shut down of plant and inconvenience to other customers. All consumers not governing themselves by the above instructions will be held responsible for the damages caused by same.
HONDO LIGHT POWER & ICE CO.

Administrator's Notice.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Medina To those indebted to or holding claims against the estate of Fritz Bendele, deceased.

I, the undersigned, having been duly appointed Temporary Administrator of the estate of Fritz Bendele, deceased, late of Medina County, Texas, by Hon. H. E. Haass, County Judge of the County Court of said County, on the 28th day of April, 1914, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence in Medina County, Texas, where he receives his mail. This, April 30th, 1914.
ALBERT BENDELE, Temporary Administrator of the Estate of Fritz Bendele, deceased.

Herman Moede, the San Antonio Brewing Association salesman, was here Friday on business for his company.

WHENEVER YOU NEED A GENERAL TONIC - TAKE GROVE'S

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is Equally Valuable as a General Tonic because it Acts on the Liver, Drives Out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. For Grown People and Children.

You know what you are taking when you take Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic as the formula is printed on every label showing that it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It is as strong as the strongest bitter tonic and is in Tasteless Form. It has no equal for Malaria, Chills and Fever, Weakness, general debility and loss of appetite. Gives life and vigor to Nursing Mothers and Pale, Sickly Children. Removes Biliousness without purging. Relieves nervous depression and low spirits. Arouses the liver to action and purifies the blood. A True Tonic and Sure Appetizer. A Complete Strengthening. No family should be without it. Guaranteed by your Druggist. We mean it. 50c.

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insures good crops and no crop failures. As the Medina lands are being settled by thrifty farmers, they must seek a good town where they can dispose of their farm products and in return purchase the necessities of life.

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is the logical place by reason of being in the hub of these lands and will reap the benefits of the great Medina Valley. For particulars see—

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